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ABSTRACT

Topics of the Proceedings of the 15th Annual Computers in Libraries Conference (March 15-17, 2000) include: Linux and open source software in an academic library; a Master Trainer Program; what educators need to know about multimedia and copyright; how super searchers find business information online; managing print costs; new technologies in wide area networks; linking reserve records in the library catalog to scanned documents on the Web server; developing an architecture for user profile management; the library of the future and the world network; teaching how to search on a mutating Web; tracking electronic journals; successful Web page design; analytical encoding of electronic texts; online learning communities; building community using Internet tools; building the Agriculture Network Information Center (AgNIC) Alliance and a distributed system for electronic agricultural information; creating a structure for collaboration and technological innovations for AgNIC; a case study in digitization at the Army Research Laboratory (ARL); learning in the Government environment; principals and media specialists leading change; digital licensing; providing library services for off-campus library users; resources of the "invisible Web"; essential topics to cover in a 50-minute Web instruction session; MEDLINEPlus; digitizing the "Chicago Tribune"; an intranet hub process; the library in today's business environment; integrating library and computer services for users; delivering health information to consumers with MEDLINEPlus; how information technology is transforming library building design; unique technology grants for public libraries; the United Nations Digitization program at the Dag Hammarskjold Library; virtual end user training; the road to a virtual college of the 21st century; creating Web-based tutorials to extend instructional outreach; implications of NAS and SAN for library use; becoming grant savvy; electronic copyright and the electronic post-offices and post-roads; a new model for publishing on the Internet; a library/faculty collaboration on the Web; meeting diverse information needs through PubMed.; tracking workflow in a virtual environment; collecting and managing access to faculty-created Web-based

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resources; issues and supports of virtual libraries; using the Internet as a reference tool; digital possibilities in Interlibrary Loan, circulation, and collections; building a knowledgebase; integrating libraries and technology functions at universities; the National Library of Medicine; building knowledge bridges in organizations; print and electronic collection development; developing a technology training program for the public library; developing an intranet for an international audience; new methods of identifying and accessing electronic journals in libraries; e-services; delivering subject-specific internet classes in a public library; an introduction to Linux; and collected resources on the Web. (AEF)

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